

**Table 20. Weather Summary, Selected U.S. Cities**  
(Population Weighted Heating Degree-Days<sup>1</sup>)

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The weather for the Nation, as measured by population-weighted heating degree-days from July 1, 2001, through May 11, 2002, has been 15 percent warmer than last year and 13 percent warmer than normal.

Location	Current 07/01/01 thru 05/11/02	Previous 07/01/00 thru 05/11/01	Normal 07/01 thru 05/11	Percent Change	
				Current vs. Previous	Current vs. Normal
U.S. Total, Population-Weighted	3,901	4,590	4,462	-15	-13
Cities					
Albuquerque	3,712	4,245	4,388	-13	-15
Amarillo	3,676	4,366	4,211	-16	-13
Asheville	3,683	4,271	4,228	-14	-13
Atlanta	2,367	3,070	2,981	-23	-21
Billings	6,673	7,076	6,872	-6	-3
Boise	5,275	5,735	5,659	-8	-7
Boston	4,605	5,675	5,500	-19	-16
Buffalo	5,610	6,541	6,539	-14	-14
Cheyenne	6,564	7,122	6,950	-8	-6
Chicago	5,469	6,443	6,375	-15	-14
Cincinnati	4,404	5,261	5,161	-16	-15
Cleveland	5,090	6,037	6,032	-16	-16
Columbia, SC	2,174	2,848	2,644	-24	-18
Denver	5,563	6,201	5,815	-10	-4
Des Moines	5,414	6,733	6,407	-20	-15
Detroit	5,383	6,154	6,407	-13	-16
Fargo	8,026	9,272	8,995	-13	-11
Hartford	5,065	6,251	6,034	-19	-16
Houston	1,407	1,820	1,599	-23	-12
Jacksonville	1,084	1,613	1,434	-33	-24
Kansas City	4,458	5,558	5,317	-20	-16
Las Vegas	2,053	2,249	2,407	-9	-15
Los Angeles	1,331	1,542	1,340	-14	-1
Memphis	2,667	3,398	3,073	-22	-13
Miami	83	186	200	-55	-58
Milwaukee	5,851	6,780	7,056	-14	-17
Minneapolis	6,650	7,893	7,815	-16	-15
Montgomery	2,036	2,570	2,224	-21	-8
New York	3,683	4,745	4,836	-22	-24
Oklahoma City	3,419	4,077	3,649	-16	-6
Omaha	5,404	6,456	6,202	-16	-13
Philadelphia	3,676	4,796	4,894	-23	-25
Phoenix	871	1,165	1,350	-25	-35
Pittsburgh	4,833	5,810	5,814	-17	-17
Portland, ME	6,083	7,025	7,080	-13	-14
Providence	4,792	5,724	5,728	-16	-16
Raleigh	2,929	3,577	3,438	-18	-15
Richmond	3,242	4,176	3,937	-22	-18
St. Louis	3,920	5,049	4,703	-22	-17
Salem, OR	4,302	4,514	4,602	-5	-7
Salt Lake City	5,709	5,661	5,602	1	2
San Francisco	2,409	2,591	2,765	-7	-13
Seattle	4,689	4,642	4,589	1	2
Shreveport	2,109	2,622	2,264	-20	-7
Washington, DC	3,299	4,314	4,025	-24	-18

<sup>1</sup>See Glossary.

\*\*\* = Normal heating degree-days or less, or ratio incalculable.

Note:• The total heating degree-days for the previous heating season (July 1, 1999 - June 30, 2000) was 4,700 and the normal is 4,575. A new method for calculating heating/cooling degree days was implemented by the Climate Analysis Center in October 1993, with further refinements implemented in November 1993. The routines incorporate 1961-1990 normals supplied by the National Climatic Data Center, and 1990 census data for calculation of population weighted degree days.